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To: Food Stamp Handbook Holders

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RE: **FS Handbook Release 00-02**

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EFFECTIVE DATE

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Implement the instructions at application, review, and change, or, if you wish, earlier. The following policy additions or changes are effective 04/01/00, unless otherwise noted.

COMMENTS

References to "OM" indicate that the information in the designated Operations Memorandum has been incorporated into the FSH.

CHANGES

The following changes are in this release.

Appendices

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| 1.3.4 | Four states and Fresno, CA are listed as issuing on a fiscal month cycle. |
| 3.2.1 | A reference to an obsolete CARES report was removed. |
| 11.3.8 | A clarification was added specifying, "food stamp household." |
| 12.2.14 | An Adoption Assistance reference was added. |
| 12.2.41 | A clarification was added specifying that the gross amount of certain VA disability pension adjustments are counted. |
| 15.3.6.1 | A reference was deleted and a household size was corrected. |
| 16.4.5 & 6 | Nursing home insurance policies are discussed. |
| 16.5.0 | Two lines, mistakenly dropped, were restored. |
| 16.7.0 | Shelter deduction conditions are clarified. |
| 21.3.0 | The face-to-face interview requirement for certain OBD cases is clarified. |
| 22.1.2 | An obsolete reference AFDC was deleted. |
| 22.2.3.1 | Actual income is used in certain overpayment calculations. |
| Individual Unit | Logic flow between questions was corrected. |

Various Units

Unit-to-Appendix references were corrected.